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FOR RENT.

\$17.00—7 room, modern brick residence in first-class condition, repair, etc.
\$10.00—8 room adobe, shingle roof, city water.
WANTED—Houses to rent. We are having many inquiries by letter and in person for modern cottages of 3 to 6 rooms.

FURNISHED.

\$22—4 large rooms, furnished.
\$17—all of first story, four large rooms, furnished.

FOR SALE.

\$500—5 rooms, modern adobe cottage, shingle roof, bay-window, 2 porches, large garden, 35 fruit trees, city water, stable, etc.
\$250—new 4 room adobe cottage, iron and composition roof, garden, fruit, stable, etc.

\$1000—160 acres, 39 miles from Denver, Colo., fenced, house, spring, well, farming land, hay land, grass land, outside range. Will exchange for Socorro property.

\$100—10 acres bottom land, under ditch, 3-4 mile from postoffice Socorro.

\$600—5 acres, house, barn, fruit, well and wind mill, city water etc., close in.

\$225.00—3 room, adobe house, 2 rooms new, tar roof, 2 acres, fenced, fruit, shade trees, stable, city water.

\$350—40 acres, more or less, bottom land, fenced, under ditch, one mile from Socorro county court house.

\$350—160 acres, patented stock ranch, never failing water, foot hills San Mateo mountains, good cattle, horse, sheep or goat ranch.

\$1,300—Modern cottage, brick finish, repair as good as new, beautifully furnished, two porches, large and handsome grounds, tin roof, city water and well, nicely furnished throughout, fine piano.

\$1,500—7 room, adobe dwelling, shingle and iron roof, city water in house and grounds, house well and substantially furnished, including one grand square Emerson piano, 3 acres, 315 fancy assorted fruit trees in bearing, 228 fancy assorted grape vines in bearing, 25 ornamental trees, shade trees, shrubs, bulbs, roses, strawberries, etc., close in.

\$7,500 paid net \$2,500 in 1890. 80 acres 9 miles from county seat, 1/4 mile to post office, one mile to station, including 7 acres prunes, 7 acres peaches, 6 acres apples, plums etc., all in bearing. 35 acres alfalfa, all fenced and cross-fenced. Good home, large barn and out buildings, best of soil, no alkali, good water right on one of the best of acequias; steam pump with abundance of water in case of necessity. Will sell all or part, will take part trade, stock of goods, live stock etc.

Also 100 acres adjoining the above will be sold if desired.

\$1,000—30 acres, more or less bottom land, 5 acres above acequia with first class well, wind mill pump, horse power pump, large rock cement tank, 4 room new adobe, 2 room old adobe house, well and hand pump, new corral, stable and hay barn, chicken house, bee house, wagon shed, 350 assorted fruit trees mostly Ben Davis apples set out five years, 1000 grape vines and about 2000 sprouts; balance of land is below acequia, much of it adapted to growing grass, hay, alfalfa without cost of irrigation, all fenced with three and four wires, 2 native mares, 2 American mules, 2 sets double harness, farm wagon, mowing machine, horse rake, plow and all other implements and tools on the place.

One span horses, set harness and side saddle.

100—two year old steers.

565—long yearling steers, 75 per cent white faces.

116—heifers—ones and twos.

100—cows, twos up, northern New Mexico.

45—early calves.

Undivided—1/2 interest in general merchandise business, good paying mining and ranch trade. Notwithstanding live stock matters are quiet, we are receiving inquiries about same.

Tell us what you have for sale. It costs you nothing if not benefited.

HARRIS & SMITH,
SOCORRO, N. M.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Summary of Important Events Condensed from the Press Dispatches.

The Santa Fe is double tracking its line over the Raton mountains.

A thousand people are dying daily in Punjab, India, from the plague.

The first through trains passed over the Deming and Bisbee road Wednesday.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is recovering from a serious attack of pneumonia.

Admiral Schley has returned to Washington from his western and southern trip.

Oil of an excellent quality has been discovered at Ojo Caliente in Taos county.

There are 238 convicts in the territorial penitentiary and they are all kept busy.

The Philippine tariff continues to be an interesting subject of discussion in Congress.

Delegate Rodey made a strong speech for statehood Saturday before the committee on territories.

Several insurance companies have just withdrawn from Texas on account of the anti-trust legislation of that state.

There is a good prospect that Kansas City will soon have a union depot that will eclipse the famous St. Louis structure.

The Pecos Valley and North-eastern Railway will be extended from Roswell to El Paso to compete with the Rock Island.

Frank James has stopped by injunction in Kansas City a play depicting the James boys as train robbers and bank looters.

Mrs. Clara A. B. Corbin made final proof a few days ago on a homestead entry covering a part of the Gran Quivira ruins in Lincoln county.

Hon. Dan'l H. McMillan is daily expected to return to Santa Fe from Buffalo where he went ten days ago on important private business.

At an entertainment given by the Normal School at Silver City the curtains on the platform caught fire and a panic was narrowly averted.

Five thousand sheep were shipped by one company last week from Capitan to Kansas points over the new extension of the Rock Island road.

A company has been organized in San Francisco, capital \$5,000, with the object of colonizing the island of Mindanao, one of the Philippines.

Superintendent H. O. Bursum of the territorial penitentiary paid \$50 to the territorial treasurer yesterday to be credited to the convicts' earnings.

The ransom of Miss Ellen M. Stone, the Boston missionary captured some time ago by Bulgarian bandits, has been paid and her release is expected hourly.

Demetrio Perea, former postmaster at Lincoln and ex-sheriff and clerk of Lincoln county, is under indictment and arrest for embezzling \$889 of postoffice funds.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat says that the Interstate Land Company of Kansas City is before the house committee on private land claims trying to secure control of 20,000,000 acres of New Mexico land, known as the Beales-Royuela grant, to which it has not the slightest shadow of a title according to a decision of the United States supreme court.

Among yesterday's press dispatches was the following: Pursuant to instructions from Gov. Otero, of New Mexico, the sheriffs of Guadalupe, Union, Lincoln and Chaves counties are organizing posses of picked men to hunt down the members of the Jack Musgrove band of bandits which recently terrorized that region. This means that a war of extermination will be waged against the outlaws, and exciting times are expected in that portion of New Mexico to which the outlaws retreated. They are said to be in the fastnesses of the Capitan mountains.

Magdalena Letter.

Magdalena, Feb. 11, 1902.

EDITOR CHIEFTAIN:

The recent snows have been a great help to cattle and sheep, they being able to stay in the high hills now where they have water and grass together.

It seems that H. T. Maybery of Patterson and H. C. Medley of Magdalena are distinguishing themselves as destroyers of the lobo wolf. Mr. Maybery is using a pair of tamed wolves in his adventures, while Mr. Medley is using steel traps. They have killed twelve of the beasts, nine of these being snared by Maybery.

There is quite a bit of interest being taken among cowmen regarding the action of Juan Garcia and Jesus Landovazo's sheep herds. They have moved their sheep in on the range of our neighbors Williams and Gatlin and have stated that they intend staying there as long as snow lasts. This is a bad thing on Williams and Gatlin as they have quite a herd of cattle, and not very much grass. This is an outrage. The cattlemen must get together and try to do something, by compromise if possible.

LOVE BACHELOR.

Base Ball Again.

The ball game Sunday was witnessed by an unusually large crowd. The new grandstand was occupied to its utmost capacity. The new uniforms of the Mexican team, donned for the first time, added much to the attractiveness of the game. The American team hope to have their uniforms for use tomorrow. Both teams have improved wonderfully since the rivalry between them sprang up and spectators now have the pleasure of witnessing some really first class playing. Sunday's game resulted in a score of 19 to 14 in favor of the Americans.

Rathbone Sisters Ball.

The Calico Ball given by the Rathbone Sisters Monday night was one of the most successful affairs of the kind that has occurred in Socorro in many a day. The number in attendance was large, too large in fact for the capacity of the Knights of Pythias hall in which the ball was held. The ball took its name from the fact that each lady was gown in calico and furnished her escort a necktie to match. Everybody reported a most enjoyable time. The net receipts of the entertainment amounted to about \$45.

In The District Court.

In the district court for Socorro county, Judge John R. McPhee, acting for Judge Daniel H. McMillan, Thursday appointed C. H. Kirkpatrick special examiner in the divorce suit of Felix Sambrano vs. Jesus Sambrano, in which a decree of pro confesso has been entered. Acacio Gallegos was appointed special examiner to take testimony in the suit of Juanita Gutierrez vs. Damien Gutierrez, in which also a decree of pro confesso had been entered.—New Mexican.

Liles & Torres.

W. I. Liles and J. E. Torres have leased the room two doors west of the postoffice and are fitting it up in first class style for saloon purposes. The establishment will be opened for the accommodation of customers March 1. The location is a desirable one and doubtless the new firm will receive its full share of the public patronage.

County Bonds.

The county commissioners have received this week the old county bonds of 1884 and 1889 to the amount of \$150,000 which were refunded last summer into 5 per cent bonds. These bonds had been bearing 6 per cent. The new bonds therefore represent a saving of \$1,500 a year in interest to tax payers of the county.

Join the Golf Club.

Some of the citizens of Socorro who are interested in golf are organizing a club. It being impossible to invite everyone personally to join, it is hereby announced that any wishing to become members may learn particulars by calling at the office of J. G. Fitch before February 22.

OF HOME INTEREST.

Did you get a valentine?
See liquid air boil on ice Friday night.

Gardening was begun in Socorro this week.

Liquid air comes next Friday night.

Miss Stella Kiehne visited Magdalena yesterday.

R. H. Wylie of Burley stopped at the Windsor Sunday.

Ice cream and ice cream soda at Katzenstein's tomorrow.

Col. M. Brunswick of Las Vegas is in town today on business.

Governor Otero has appointed Julio Cisneros of La Joya notary public.

David Farr of Magdalena was in the city on private business Tuesday.

Mrs. G. E. Cook will be at home to her friends on Friday afternoon.

L. J. Otto and wife of Magdalena were guests at the Windsor Wednesday.

Miss Anna Field registered at the Windsor Wednesday from Magdalena.

Stranger than fiction are the liquid air experiments, to be seen next Friday night.

Doctor C. G. Cruickshank of San Marcial was in town Tuesday on private business.

J. C. Plemmens, treasurer of Sierra county, was in town Wednesday on official business.

Doctor Charles Blinn of Kelly was in town Tuesday as guest of his brother Doctor E. P. Blinn.

The cottonwood trees along the river are just beginning to show signs of the approach of spring.

P. C. Bell, who is interested in Hansonburg mining properties, was in town on business yesterday.

H. T. Maybery came down on the Magdalena train Tuesday from his ranch near Patterson on private business.

Landlord P. N. Yunker of the Windsor received the sad news this morning of the death of his mother in Denmark.

Hon. Solomon Luna passed through the city this morning on his way to his sheep ranches in the western part of the county.

County Assessor Benj. Sanchez made a business trip to Magdalena Sunday, returning two or three days later by way of Polvadera.

Laughable experiments next Friday night with liquid air, beefsteak, vegetables, etc. Lots of fun, and a heap of information besides.

J. R. Vigil is engaged in thoroughly renovating the room near the postoffice soon to be occupied as a saloon by the firm of Liles & Torres.

J. W. Cox arrived in town Tuesday from his ranch near Datil, called by the serious illness of his sister-in-law, Miss Jessie McCuiston.

Frank P. Sickles and I. M. Davis left Monday morning for Clifton, Arizona, to try their luck in the picture business. Luck be with them.

Mrs. Paul J. Terry expects soon to join her husband in Mexico, where he has accepted a desirable position in one of the Gugenheim smelters.

One Thomas J. Riley, said to be well known at Frisco, this county, is reported to have been killed recently at Clifton, Arizona, in a saloon row.

The report has reached this city that J. A. Whitmore died a few days ago in California. Mr. Whitmore was formerly well known in this county.

H. A. Buckley and family expect soon to become citizens of Las Vegas. Their many friends in Socorro will regret the necessity of this change of location.

A. T. Harrison is now in El Paso, Texas, where he has real estate interests, and it is reported that he and his family will soon make their home in that city.

Air that looks and flows like water, yet is 312 degrees below zero, and the greatest marvel of the age, will be "on tap" at the opera house next Friday night.

THE CHIEFTAIN office is now supplied with a line of ladies' fancy stationery. Those who need anything in that line will find it to their advantage to call.

At the regular convocation of Socorro lodge No. 9, A. F. and A. M., Tuesday night Jas. Patterson of Patterson, N. M., was passed to the degree of Fellow-Craft.

For sale: One Smith-Premier typewriter, stand and extras; one flat top desk; one cylinder desk; one book case; one iron safe; other office furniture. Apply to J. P. Chase.

N. E. Stevens of Albuquerque, general agent for the Montezuma savings, loan, and building association, has been in the city this week. The company is a strong one.

W. H. Ferris is painting buggies these days at a rapid rate. Mr. Ferris has just secured the agency for a first class line of wall paper and is ready for business in that line.

W. H. Byerts will soon have 20,000 fruit trees growing on his farm near the city. He is now showing some as fine apples as one would care to see, such as he expects to grow on his own trees.

Miss Virginia Otero of Santa Fe, niece of Governor Otero and sister-in-law of Hon. Solomon Luna, is in the city as guest of her cousin, Sister Dolores of Mt. Carmel Convent, and numerous friends.

Married, in this city, Sunday evening, February 9, Mrs. L. R. Hill of the Park House, and Mr. T. F. Reed of Albuquerque. It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Reed will soon make Albuquerque their home.

Miss Julia F. Atkinson received the sad announcement yesterday by wire of the death of her beloved grand-mother who reared her from childhood. Miss Atkinson has the heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends.

H. A. Buckley spent Thursday with his family in this city. Mr. Buckley has been supplying the northern towns of the territory with good pianos and will now devote his attention to the wants of people in the same line further south.

C. L. Hafley, one of San Marcial's enterprising merchants, has been in the city several days. Mr. Hafley is much interested in the gospel meetings now being conducted in the Mexican Methodist church by Rev. Shepard of Phoenix, Arizona.

District Clerk John E. Griffith, Ross McMillan, and John W. Probert were out in the vicinity of San Acacia two or three days this week on a shooting trip. Some execution was done but the city market does not seem to be overstocked with game.

Revival gospel meetings are being conducted by Rev. David G. Shepard of Phoenix, Arizona, at the Mexican Methodist church in the western part of town. Services in the English language begin at 7 o'clock each evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Geo. F. Cook has opened an office next door to Dr. Kittrell's dental parlors on the second floor of the Abeyta block and is now ready to take orders for ladies' and gentlemen's tailor made garments to measure. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give him a call.

C. T. Brown returned Thursday from a ten days absence in the Black Range. Mr. Brown brought with him from the New Era mine some specimens of silver ore that shows the native silver in generous quantities. He reported deep snow in the vicinity of Sullivan's Hole.

L. M. Lasley and W. Mitchell were in the city Tuesday. Mr. Lasley had just returned from a business trip east. He stated that there is now being constructed a transcontinental railroad to extend from Norfolk, Va., to San Diego, Cal., which will intersect the Santa Fe at or near Socorro.

Dr. Price's
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER

Improves the flavor
and adds to the health-
fulness of the food.

Superlative in
Strength and Purity.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

There was a man on the street Thursday with three live wild geese that he had disabled at a single shot from his rifle. At least that is how he said he captured them. The geese were for sale and when asked his price the owner replied that he would take six bits apiece, or two dollars and six bits for the bunch.

Jos. E. Smith, who is a member of the board of trustees of the School of Mines, visited the institution yesterday to interest the students in the sale of tickets for the Liquid Air lecture. This lecture is to be given under the auspices of the School of Mines and the net proceeds, if any, will be expended in books for the library.

Carl F. Dunnegan has located in Lordsburg, N. M., where he will engage in the general merchandise business. It had been hoped that Mr. Dunnegan would locate permanently in Socorro and his many friends here are greatly disappointed that it could not be so. He will take with him a world of good wishes from this city.

Fred Davenport, who recently left Socorro to undertake the engineering work on a projected line of railroad from Cerrillos to some coal mines fifteen miles distant, is reported sorely afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism. During Mr. and Mrs. Davenport's stay in Socorro they made many friends who now express hearty sympathy for them in their affliction.

Ball Game Arranged for Washington's Birthday.

The Mexican and American teams have arranged to celebrate Washington's birthday with a grand game of baseball. The game will be played with both nines decked out in their new uniforms. Some royal sport may be expected, as the teams are quite evenly matched, play good ball, and will doubtless on this occasion be inspired to do their best. The grandstand has been enlarged and covered. Ten cents will be charged for admittance to a seat. Come out and witness a good game.

Important Mine Sale.

A. J. Borden, manager of the Alcazar Copper company of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in the city yesterday. The company which Mr. Borden represents has just purchased the famous copper mines at Hansonburg, this county, and will commence development work on a large scale early in March. The company is composed of Cincinnati capitalists who are largely interested in copper properties in Arizona, where they are meeting with good success.

A. E. Howell, Socorro, and W. M. Borrowdale, Magdalena, the druggists, will refund you your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness, constipation and headache. Price, 25 cents. Samples free.